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Title of Invention: Pridict Universal Serial Bus Ay Light

Inventors (please provide full names): _____

Earliest Priority Filing Date: _____

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Need by Mon/Tues

USB

flexible light/ lamp or bendable lightlamp

See attached

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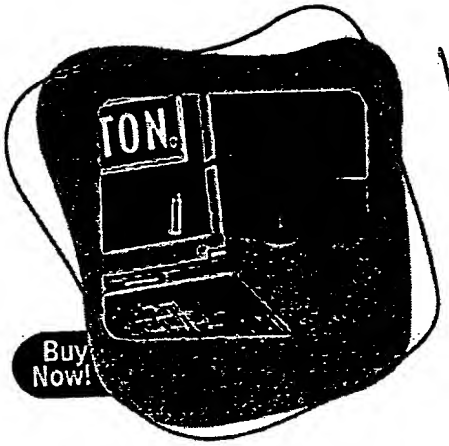
FlyLight™ Notebook USB Light

- No batteries; plugs into any USB port
- Bulb-free LED design never wears out
- Uses less than 90 seconds per hour of battery charge
- Sleek hi-tech design is a perfect accessory for busy travellers
- Flexible neck stays where you put it



Model Number: 62641
Est. Price: $19.99 USD

Product Options

Name	Color	Model	Price	
Platinum FlyLight™	Platinum	62645	$19.99	Buy Now!
FlyLight™ with Red LED	Black (Red LED)	62644	$19.99	Buy Now!

✓ 76192765
7571078Z

More Information

System Requirements

Sales Sheet

Warranty

Dimensions

ACCO.CO.UK.

Parent Company: ACCO brands

Products - Start: IX/2001 ?

TO: Van T. Trieu
FROM: Pamela Reynolds
SUBJECT : Online search
DATE: March 8, 2002

Dear Van T. Trieu

Please find attached the product – Flylight USB light/lamp - search results for 09/682279.

I searched the standard Dialog files for product searches and the internet.

If you would like a re-focus please let me know.

Thank you.

Pamela Reynolds
EIC 2600 Team Leader
306-0254
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02752789 Supplier Number: 67710560 (THIS IS THE FULLTEXT)

Kensington Soars With the FlyLight Notebook Light; New Laptop Computer Accessory Lights Up Keyboards and More!

Business Wire, p0071
Dec 8, 2000

TEXT:

Business Editors/High-Tech Writers

SAN MATEO, Calif.--(BUSINESS WIRE)--Dec. 8, 2000

Business travelers can literally `lighten up' when they fly with an innovative new gadget for laptop computers from Kensington Technology Group. The **FlyLight** (TM) Notebook **USB Light** is a small notebook computer accessory that helps users to work easily in dimly lit places such as airplanes or conference rooms.

The slim FlyLight accessory is lightweight, easy to carry, and tucks neatly into a computer case. This handy device plugs into the USB port of any Mac(R) or PC. The user simply positions the flexible cable to shed a soft, glowing light wherever it's needed.

"Customer research shows that laptop users, especially business travelers, often work in dark places," said Tom Pscheidt, product manager, Kensington Technology Group. "We developed the FlyLight Notebook Light to provide our customers with a flexible, portable solution to work in those darkened areas."

A great gift idea, the FlyLight Notebook **USB Light** can be quickly attached to your computer for use on airplanes when you do not want to disturb other passengers, in darkened conference rooms when delivering a computer-based presentation, or in bed when you don't want to waken your spouse.

The device has a gentle white LED glow that lasts up to 100,000 hours of continuous use. Its innovative Plug-n-Glow(TM) technology works without any software or installation. Powered by the notebook computer battery, the light uses less than 90 seconds of battery charge per hour of use.

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S4         11   RD S3 (unique items)
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05077095 SUPPLIER NUMBER: 73698289
Kensington turns on the computer light
Anonymous
Twice (TWIC), v16 n13, p40, p.1
May 28, 2001
ISSN: 0892-7278 JOURNAL CODE: TWIC
DOCUMENT TYPE: News
LANGUAGE: English RECORD TYPE: Abstract

PRODUCT/INDUSTRY NAMES: Kensington **FlyLight** Notebook **USB** **Light**

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04500851 H.W. WILSON RECORD NUMBER: BWBA01000851
Cool tools.
AUGMENTED TITLE: Iomega FotoShow Digital Image Center and Kensington **FlyLight** Notebook **USB** **Light**
Fortune v. 143 no1 (Jan. 8 2001) p. 222
LANGUAGE: English

AUGMENTED TITLE: Iomega FotoShow Digital Image Center and Kensington **FlyLight** Notebook **USB** **Light**

...ABSTRACT: and allows users to display photographs on their television screen, and the Kensington FlyLight Notebook **USB** **Light** , which sells for $19.99 and provides light for computer keyboards, are discussed.

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05698204 SUPPLIER NUMBER: 71578455
More of My Favorite Things. (Hardware Review) (Column) (Evaluation)
Howard, Bill
PC Magazine, 85
March 20, 2001
DOCUMENT TYPE: Column Evaluation ISSN: 0888-8507 LANGUAGE: English RECORD TYPE: Fulltext; Abstract
WORD COUNT: 870 LINE COUNT: 00067

... that shines down from the top of the display? With Inventor Darren Kim's Kensington **FlyLight** Notebook **USB** **Light** ($20 street, www.kensington.com) you can. The light is a flexible 18-inch stalk...

...end and a USB connector (providing power) at the other. In a dark room, the **FlyLight** provides enough illumination to read documents. And at 0.1 watt, the most it will...

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DIALOG(R)File 275:Gale Group Computer DB(TM)
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02538378 SUPPLIER NUMBER: 78268635 (USE FORMAT 7 OR 9 FOR FULL TEXT)
Little Laptop Light. (Kensington Flylight) (Brief Article) (Product Announcement)
Thorsberg, Frank
PC World, 19, 10, 66
Oct, 2001
DOCUMENT TYPE: Brief Article Product Announcement ISSN: 0737-8939

LANGUAGE: English RECORD TYPE: Fulltext
WORD COUNT: 133 LINE COUNT: 00013

TEXT:
Kensington's **FlyLight** Notebook **USB Light** is a nifty little glowworm mounted on a 18-inch flexible wand. In my tests...

...student. There are no moving parts--not even an on/off switch. Just slip the **FlyLight** 's tail into your notebook computer's USB port, and its LED-powered head emits...

TRADE NAMES: Kensington FlyLight Notebook **USB Light** (Computer supply ...

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03014232 Supplier Number: 79120652 (USE FORMAT 7 FOR FULLTEXT)
Kensington Creates Slim Metro Bag Laptop Case for Today's Thinner Laptops.
PR Newswire, pNA
Oct 15, 2001
Language: English Record Type: Fulltext
Document Type: Newswire; Trade
Word Count: 467

... Bag is the latest in the Kensington line of award winning mobility products including the **FlyLight** (TM) Notebook **USB light** , PDA Protector, SaddleBag and the Simply Portable(TM) line of notebook cases. The Slim Metro...

4/3,K/6 (Item 2 from file: 621)
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03001641 Supplier Number: 78779040 (USE FORMAT 7 FOR FULLTEXT)
New Kensington PocketType: Truly Portable Keyboard for Handspring(TM) Visor(TM).
PR Newswire, pNA
Oct 1, 2001
Language: English Record Type: Fulltext
Document Type: Newswire; Trade
Word Count: 567

... company's existing line of innovative mobility products. Other mobile accessories from Kensington include the **FlyLight** (TM) Notebook **USB light** , PDA Protector, SaddleBag and Simply Portable(TM) line of notebook cases.
PocketType will be available...

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02973756 Supplier Number: 77562460 (USE FORMAT 7 FOR FULLTEXT)
New PDA Protector From Kensington to Outfit Your Palm or Handspring in Style.
PR Newswire, pNA
August 27, 2001
Language: English Record Type: Fulltext
Document Type: Newswire; Trade
Word Count: 491

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light , SaddleBag and the Simply Portable(TM) Line of notebook cases.
The PDA Protector will be...

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02752789 Supplier Number: 67710560 (USE FORMAT 7 FOR FULLTEXT)
Kensington Soars With the FlyLight Notebook Light; New Laptop Computer Accessory Lights Up Keyboards and More!
Business Wire, p0071
Dec 8, 2000
Language: English Record Type: Fulltext
Document Type: Newswire; Trade
Word Count: 470

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DIALOG(R)File 613:PR Newswire
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00656977 20011015SFM059 (USE FORMAT 7 FOR FULLTEXT)
Kensington Creates Slim Metro Bag Laptop Case for Laptopsllinancing
PR Newswire
Monday, October 15, 2001 08:09 EDT
JOURNAL CODE: PR LANGUAGE: ENGLISH RECORD TYPE: FULLTEXT
DOCUMENT TYPE: NEWSWIRE
WORD COUNT: 472

TEXT:
...Bag is the latest in the Kensington line of award winning mobility products including the **FlyLight** (TM) Notebook **USB light** , PDA Protector, SaddleBag and the Simply Portable(TM) line of notebook cases. The
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00649353 20011001LAM080 (USE FORMAT 7 FOR FULLTEXT)
New Kensington PocketType: Truly Portable Keyboardntelessch
PR Newswire
Monday, October 1, 2001 08:06 EDT
JOURNAL CODE: PR LANGUAGE: ENGLISH RECORD TYPE: FULLTEXT
DOCUMENT TYPE: NEWSWIRE
WORD COUNT: 560

...company's existing
line of innovative mobility products. Other mobile accessories from Kensington include the **FlyLight** (TM) Notebook **USB light** , PDA Protector,
SaddleBag and Simply Portable(TM) line of notebook cases.

PocketType will be a[redacted]ilable...

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00562309 20010430SFM007A (USE FORMAT 7 FOR FULLTEXT)
Kensington Introduces Laptop Computer Light with Latest Led Technology
PR Newswire
Monday, April 30, 2001 08:02 EDT
JOURNAL CODE: PR LANGUAGE: ENGLISH RECORD TYPE: FULLTEXT
DOCUMENT TYPE: NEWSWIRE
WORD COUNT: 668

TEXT:
...bin/prnh/20010430/SFM007A)
All these features and more make Kensington Technology Group's new **FlyLight** (TM) Notebook **USB Light** an indispensable accessory for computer users
working in dimly lit spaces. The **FlyLight** device is perfect for air travelers
who don't want to disturb other passengers or..

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00651483 01PI12-044
HandSpring Visor Pro
Brown, Bruce; Brown, Marge
PC Magazine , December 11, 2001 , v20 n21 p146, 148, 2 Page(s)
ISSN: 0888-8507
Company Name: Handspring
URL: http://www.handspring.com
Product Name: Handspring Visor Pro

...Explains that it packs features that make it more appealing to mobile professionals. Cites its **light** platinum case; **universal serial bus** (USB) cradle; sturdy case; extra storage space; visual alarm; light emitting diode (LED); lithium ion...

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00651368 01PI12-120
Peripherals sidewalk sale
Brown, Rich
PC Magazine , December 26, 2001 , v20 n22 p112-113, 2 Page(s)
ISSN: 0888-8507

... Pad Pro ($34) game controller from Microsoft Corp. (425); the Plantronics DSP-300 Digitally-Enhanced **USB Lightweight** Stereo Headset ($109) from Plantronics Inc. (800); and the D-Link DSB-H7 ($59) seven...

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00642353 01MQ09-011
Reinventing a simple winner -- Best handheld: Palm m500 Series
Spoonauer, Mark
Mobile Computing & Communications , September 1, 2001 , v12 n9 p91-92, 2 Page(s)
ISSN: 1047-1952
Company Name: Palm
Product Name: Palm m500

... m500 series is not lacking in the features department, with its improved 33 MHz processor, **universal serial bus** (**USB**) connection, flashing **light** emitting diode (LED), and vibrating alarm options. Discusses why the Palm m500 and m505 bear...

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00633062 01PI06-007
Flexible computing
Delaney, John R
PC Magazine , June 12, 2001 , v20 n11 p50, 1 Page(s)
ISSN: 0888-8507
Company Name: Fujitsu PC
URL: http://www.fujitsupc.com
Product Name: Fujitsu Stylistic 3500X

... its 500MHz Celeron processor, graphics accelerator with 4MB of video RAM, 15GB hard drive, slender **lightweight** frame, **Universal Serial**

Bus and infrared ports, Windows 2000, 10.4-inch XGA display, 56Kbps modem, and onscreen keyboard...

4/3,K/5 (Item 5 from file: 233)
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00627045 01PI04-014
Internet access like magic, sometimes
Sarrel, Matthew D
PC Magazine , April 3, 2001 , v20 n7 p50, 1 Page(s)
ISSN: 0888-8507
Company Name: Novatel Wireless
URL: http://www.novatelwireless.com
Product Name: Novatel Wireless Merlin

... bandwidth and currently covers 11 cities. Adds that the model is naturally much smaller and **lighter** than the external **universal serial bus** version, but the antenna is a bit unwieldy, forcing the user to eject the card...

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00608669 00EW08-311
Casio pockets advances
Brooks, Jason
eWeek , August 28, 2000 , v17 n35 p63-66, 2 Page(s)
ISSN: 0740-1604
Company Name: Casio
URL: http://www.casio.com
Product Name: Casio EM-500

...Explains that it updates the Cassiopeia E-115. Lists features such as a slimmer and **lighter** chassis, **Universal Serial Bus** (USB) desktop connectivity, a MultiMediaCard (MMC) slot to supplement 16MB of RAM, a bright 16...

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Image download on-demand -- Microtech's digital film reader enables painless digital image transfer
Howard, Courtney E
Electronic Publishing , July 1, 2000 , v24 n7 p62, 1 Page(s)
ISSN: 0194-4851
Company Name: Microtech International
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Bill Machrone,
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I often use my laptop in the dark. Whether on an overnight flight or responding to Notes' "new mail" tone in the den just after I've turned out the lights, I keep needing to see the keyboard.

I'm a touch typist, but I can't find every special character by touch, and the undifferentiated row of function keys on my Toshiba Portege is a real challenge. Sometimes I tilt the screen down over my hands to find one of those lesser-used keys. Sure, there's an overhead light on the airplane, but it's occasionally burned out; sometimes it casts a distracting glare onto the screen; sometimes I'm considerate of my sleeping fellow passengers.

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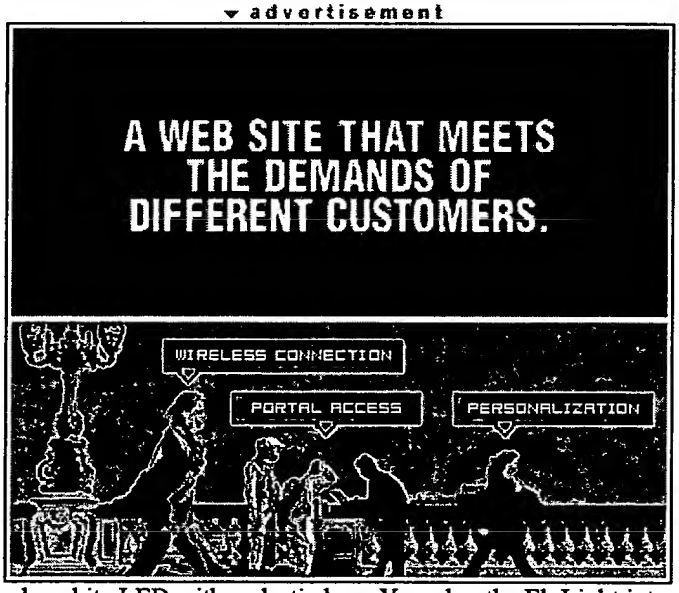

HANDY DEVICE

Enter the FlyLight. This handy little device came into existence because of my review of IBM's Thinkpad A20. I'd mentioned that one of my favorite features of the A20 was the tiny blue-white LEDs built into the upper edge of the screen. A keyboard command turned them on, shining a pale, but useful light onto the keys. Industrial designer Darren Kim read that column and got to thinking that every laptop could use a keyboard light. He designed and built the first FlyLight, then licensed the design to Kensington.

The device is sheer simplicity: a USB connector, a thin gooseneck, and a white LED with a plastic lens. You plug the FlyLight into your USB port and aim the head at your keyboard. The LED draws very little power; Kim estimates a loss of no more than 90 seconds' battery life per hour of laptop life. In my tests, the effect has been negligible.

CASTING UNATTRACTIVE LIGHT

The FlyLight couldn't have existed a year ago, or if it did, it would cast an unattractive yellow or greenish light instead of its silvery blue-white. White LEDs have been one of the goals of LED manufacturers ever since the first ones glowed red and green. But LEDs put out monochromatic light and white is a combination of all the visible wavelengths. Blue LEDs were an innovation that opened up the door to white LEDs.

Some manufacturers attempted to produce multi-chip LEDs with red, green, and blue elements, so that they would combine into a white light. The whiteness of the light wasn't very convincing, wasn't very bright and the triple chips (four, actually, one each red and green, two blue) ate power. Then somebody got the bright idea of coating the blue LED element with a phosphor that emits light over a broad spectrum. And thus the white LED was born.

An incandescent grain-of-wheat bulb typically consumes 40 to 60 milliamps of current. A white LED can produce useful light with as little as 3 ma, and can be painfully bright at 20 ma. If you're inclined to experiment with white LEDs, check out TheLedLight.com. I haven't seen these devices in Radio

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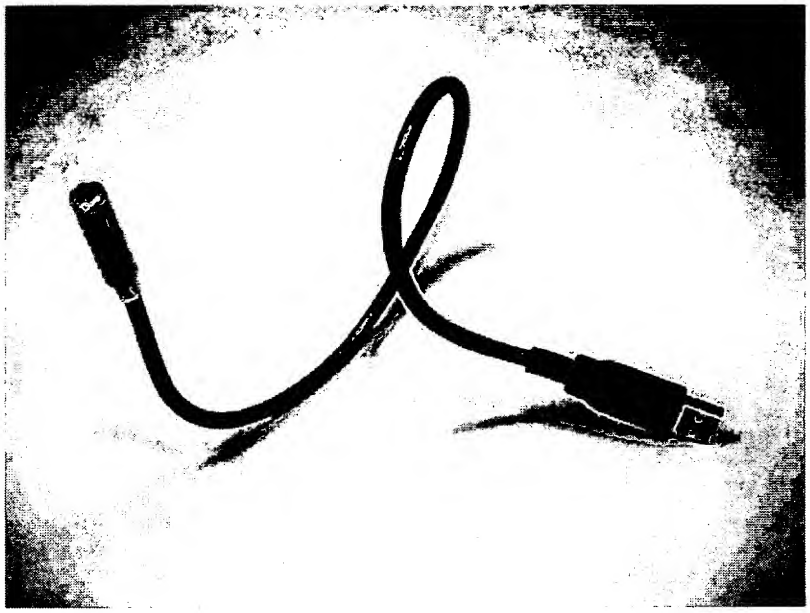

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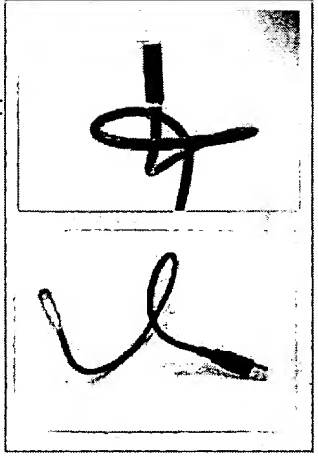

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The Kensington FlyLight is designed to be a highly portable, easy to use, accessory for you laptop or computer. It has no switches and simply uses a USB port for power. Kensington currently offers three different versions of the FlyLight: The FlyLight Notebook USB Light (reviewed here) with a blue/white LED light and black neck; the Platinum FlyLight with a blue/white LED light and silver neck; and the FlyLight with Red LED with a Red LED and black neck.

Setup

Setup was as easy as removing the package, plugging the FlyLight into the USB port on your computer, and adjusting it into a nice wacky shape (see pictures). There are no drivers or software to install, the USB port simply provides power to illuminate the FlyLight.

Usability

The FlyLight performed exactly as advertised. It provides great illumination for such a small compact light. It was designed for low light situations such as flying, where you might need a little extra light without disturbing your neighbors. The FlyLight also can occupy your time while in transit; it actually is a lot of fun trying to design different functional shapes with the highly bendable neck.

Testing

The FlyLight performed best in near darkness, where the Laptop's LCD display didn't provide enough light for reading papers that were sitting beside the computer. The FlyLight made the papers easy to read and allowed me to do work with no other lights on.

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I also used the FlyLight in a lecture hall where the professor turned off the lights for a presentation. In fact the whole class got to see what it was because the professor made a point to ask about it after the presentation was finished. The FlyLight provided more than adequate light for my paper notes as well as helping me see the compact keyboard of my laptop. I asked my neighbors if it bothered them. They actually wished it were brighter so that they could have used some of the light. The FlyLight passed my this test by covering my needs in the dark room, while not disturbing any of my neighbors.

The last location I tested the FlyLight was in a well-lit lecture hall. This room always caused me problems because of the glare from the ceiling lights. The light again helped out. It provided enough light to keep the glare from appearing on the pages of my book.

The Look

The FlyLight LED is a cross between blue and white and is very easy on the eyes (unless pointed directly into them). The light is extremely bright up close and provides just enough illumination when raised above an object to cover an area roughly the size of a standard piece of paper (8 1/2" - 11"). The darker the room, the brighter the light seems to be and the more it will illuminate.

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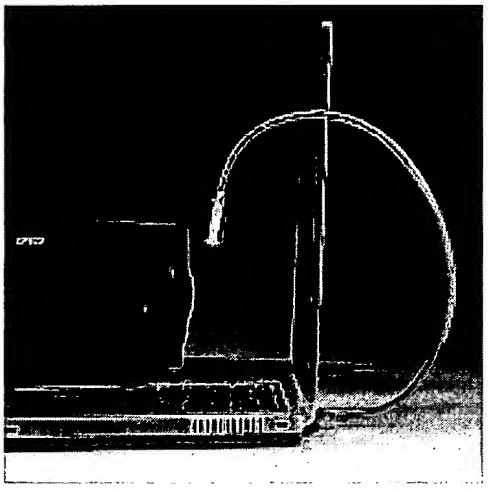

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- Flexible neck lets you position FlyLight where you want it
- LED lasts up to 100,000 hours—anywhere, anytime
- No switches—virtually nothing to break
- Sleek, high-tech design in black or platinum color
- Small and lightweight—perfect for the executive on the go
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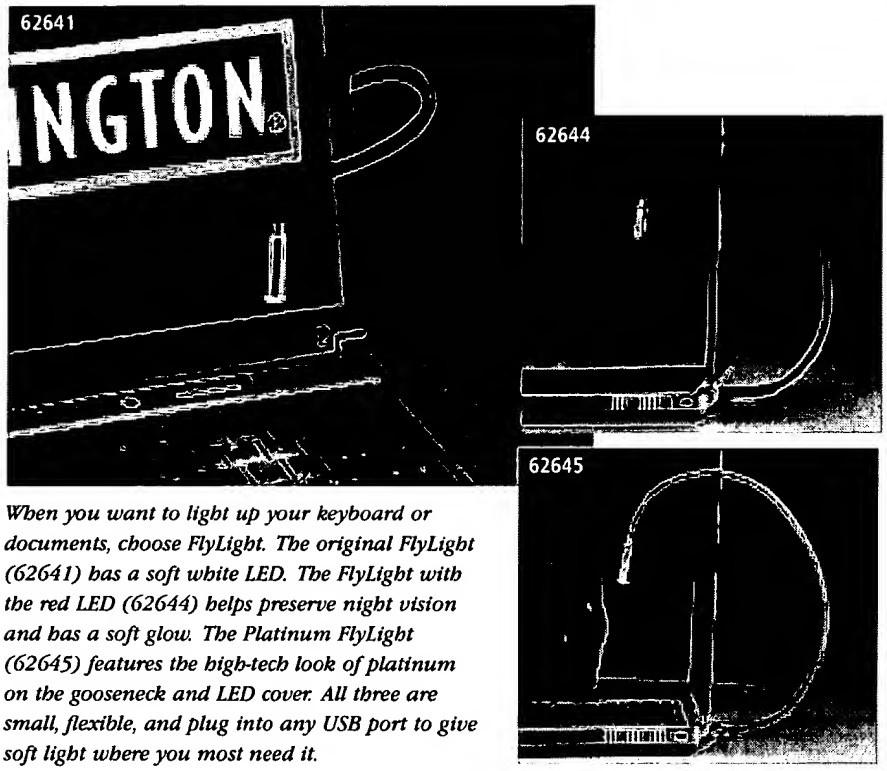

When you want to light up your keyboard or documents, choose FlyLight. The original FlyLight (62641) has a soft white LED. The FlyLight with the red LED (62644) helps preserve night vision and has a soft glow. The Platinum FlyLight (62645) features the high-tech look of platinum on the gooseneck and LED cover. All three are small, flexible, and plug into any USB port to give soft light where you most need it.

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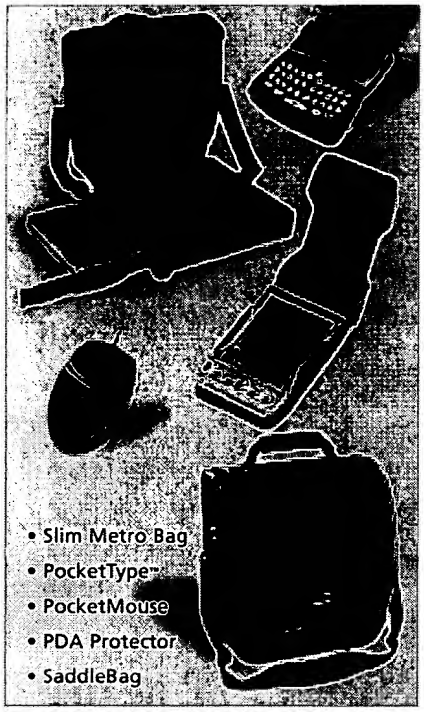

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